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In re Application of:

FLEXMAN ET AL.

CASE NO: AD6924 US NA

SERIAL NO: 10/723,653

GROUP ART UNIT: 1773

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EXAMINER: K. KRUER

FOR: LAYERED ARTICLES HAVING
POLYOXYMETHYLENE BLEND
SUBSTRATES WITH ENHANCED
SURFACE PROPERTIES AND AT LEAST
ONE LAYER THEREON AND PROCESS
FOR MAKING THE SAME

AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO AUGUST 8, 2007, NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicants respond to the Non-Final Office Action mailed on August 8, 2007. Please amend the above-referenced application as follows and consider the following remarks.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims that begin on page 8 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 11 of this paper.